HELPFUL

ONE OF THE HOTTEST MEETINGS EVER HELD BY THE CONOPIANS ON MONDAY EVENING—MUCH BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

The regular weekly meeting of the Conopus Club was held last Monday evening at the Grand Central Hotel, April 25 Invocation was pronounced by the Rev W E Van Dyke

The attendance prize was won by Mrs P S Crossman—$2 50 in gold

S L Fry reported that $300 had been raised in cash for the Swiss cheese factory, and over $100 pledged The report for committee was accepted Carried

Mr J C Backus, chairman of the Industrial Committee, read a letter from Mr C E Harris regarding certain plans for electricity in Smethport

Mr E A Studholme, chairman of the Agricultural committee, stated that his committee was willing to concede that his committee was not the only committee of the Smethport Conopus Club that could accomplish anything It was moved and seconded that the report be accepted by Guy B Mayo and Judge Bouton Carried

Mr F G Potter reported on the entertainment committee that things were satisfactory and that he could report a balance in the treasury, after the fried and the orchestra had been paid Your committe desires to call the attention of the Conopus club to the fact that the club failed to extend to the Methodist Church the thanks of the club for the use of the basement of the church, and also to extend a vote of thanks to the donors of the prizes given for the evening The committee recommends that the club extend a vote of thanks to the Methodist Church for the use of the basement for the ladies night and that the secretary be instructed to inform the Rev Mr Gregson to the effect and your committee further recommends that we extend a vote of thanks to the donors of the prizes Enterment committee Dr C R Long L E Munn, H S Rubin J L Morrison and E G Potter It was moved and seconded that the report be accepted It was carried

NESS—GEARY.

Miss Elizabeth Geary, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs M S Geary and Mr Orlo Ness, son of Mrs Ida Ness, were united in marriage at Olean Saturday, April 23

Mrs Ness is one of Smethport's most popular and attractive young girls, and has many friends to wish her happiness

The groom is a trusted employee of the Backus Novelty, and a very estimable young man He also numbers his friends by the score

The Miner unites with a host of friends in wishing the young couple a happy and prosperous married life

HORTON—ECKHERT

Miss Edna Eckhert and Leo Horton of Olean, N Y, were quietly married at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. Gregson last Monday morning, April 29. They were attended by Mrs. Leonard Benson, a sister of the bride from Crosby, Pa, and Mr W. P. Mitchell of Smethport. Mr Horton is a popular musician around Olean and plays a saxaphone with the Fitzgerald's orchestra of that place, and is a very popular young man The bride is a well known popular young lady of Olean. The Miner extends them hearty congratulations.

MRS. JOHANA NELSON KARLEN

We have received notice of the death of Mrs Johana Nelson Karlen, mother of Mr. John Karlen in Arnilt, Sweden on March 16 on Good Friday, aged 85 years. She is survived by five children: Mrs. Albert Peters, Los Angeles, Calif.; John A. Karlen, Smethport, Pa.; August Karlen, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. Selma Johnson and Anita Karlen of Sweden.

—Save your money for the Carnival, Tuesday, May 24, at the Smethport Lyceum.

Miss Carried Addresses the Methodist Church Here, Mary Harris Armor Closed the Program Proving Her Title as a "Georgia Cyclone."

The meeting held in the above named church under the auspices of the W. C. T. U was quite a success Preceding the lecture a number of musical items were given under the direction of Mrs W P Mitchell Songs were rendered by Mrs Mitchell Mrs E E Bouton, and a male sextette composed of Dr McCoy, Archie Malcolm, Mr. Hallstrom, William Brownell and the Morrison Brothers Miss Herriman gave a pianoforte selection, and two inspiring numbers were also sang by a Junior Choir

The press notices of Mrs Armour's ability as a lecturer led us to expect great things of her It is safe to say after hearing her Tuesday evening, that they spoke the plain, unvarnished truth She has been aptly described as 'The Georgia Cyclone" Her lecture was a happy combination of humor and stern, irresistible logic Speaking of law-enforcement, she said that a violator of what is now Federal Law is just as much a rebel as a member of the Confederate Army in the sixties That is apparent to any citizen possessing ordinary sense She further argued that any Judge in Pennsylvania who will grant licenses under the Brooks Law is also a rebel The fact that some of our Judges have refused to do so proves that they do not have to There was a time when a Judge might have to do that kind of thing to get the favor of the liquor interest It is no longer necessary

She made another point which thinking people ought to allow to soak in Not all people in the Prohibition movement are 'good people but all 'good people' are in the movement Not all people on the side of booze are thugs" but all thugs' are on the side of booze'

The attendance was large and membership cards were passed all through the audience and many new members were taken into the W C T U Quite a large collection was realized

ELECTRICITY STILL LOOKS GOOD HERE

There has been quite a few meeting during the past two weeks about electricity for Smethport Committees have met and discussed the proposition very thoroughly Two gentlemen from Buffalo have been here and laid out plans to connect the line from Portville to this place and explained as near as possible the entire cost and outlined the wiring of such a project

If electricity does get into Smethport, let it be understood that no matter whether you wire your house or not the wiring will be there on your street for immediate use, but if you do not wish to have electricity it will not be compulsory or cost you one cent more than at the present time It is all up to you

Just remember that a town or city cannot be wired on just one street This is the law It is planned to reach every home so that each one will have the same chance as the other.

It is advisable that each person who has this proposition at heart to get well informed as to the taxes that will be required of each property holder You will find when you get down to actual figures that it is advisable to vote YES, in the case of electricity. Another public meeting will be held shortly when all will have a chance to better understand electricity.

SUFFERED PAINFUL SPRAINS

J. V. Gallup of Potato Creek suffered a painful sprain of his left and ankle April 16. He was standing on an old sewing machine frame tacking a screen over a window when the frame collapsed and he fell in such a manner that it was difficult to extricate him. He is confined to his home for some time.

MATHEWSON IMPROVES

Saranac Lake, N. Y., April 24.—Christy Mathewson, former major league baseball pitcher, who has been ill here since last July, soon will be able to go automobiling, his physician, Dr E N Packard, announced Mathewson now is able to be dressed for a short time each day and has no cough or temperature, the doctor said He expects Mathewson to begin taking light exercise shortly

CONFERENCE CALLED BY GOVERNOR SPROUL

Harrisburg, Pa, April 28 —That the restoration of Pennsylvania to a timber-producing comomnwealth is not a matter of interest alone to any particular branch of Pennsylvania industry was well brought out in a conference of wood users held yesterday and today in the Supreme Court rooms at the Capitol The conference was called by Governor Sproul and participating in it were leading representatives of the manufacturing, mining, agricultural and transportation organizations of the state. Organized labor was represented on the program by a vice president of the State Federation of Labor

Governor Sproul presided over the conference and made the opening address

The Governor said

For the first time in the history of this great Commonwealth representatives of the wood using industries have come together to consider the vital question of forest supplies and the effect of forest devastation upon agriculture commerce and manufacture in the Keystone state There is no industry in Pennsylvania that can be conducted without the assistance of the forest Not a pound of coal can be mined, not a pound of steel can be produced, nothing can be transported without the help of the forest Therefore in fact, and in effect every industry in our state is directly dependent for its existence on supplies which the forest alone can yield

"THE PAMPHLET" COMES TO THE FRONT AGAIN

The Pamphlet edited by Charles J Baggert of DuBois one of the oldest best known and most picturesque newspaper men in northwestern Pennsylvania has been 're-born' after an interval of more than nine months, during which time the editor devoted himself to special newspaper work in Pittsburgh

The Pamphlet is one of those little pocket size, publications for which there is a distinct place in our local state and national life It is written entirely by one man, in a most happy, humorous and quaint style, which has a way of getting under the skin of the sourest reader.

As it was issued last year, The Pamphlet was a thin little booklet, some 24 pages and cover The 're-born' issue, dated May, 1921, seems not only to have been re-born, but to have grown quite considerably in the process For the May number, which has just reached us, is a thick one of some 48 pages and cover, is excellently printed on first-class paper, and shows signs of having been carefully designed by expert printers and publishers Typographically speaking, it is a finished product, and is in keeping with the fine reading on the inside pages The publishers announce that The Pamphlet will be issued regularly every month and will be on the newsstands on the 25th

We welcome The Pamphlet into the journalistic field again, and he speak for it a happy and successful career at the hands of the reading public.

THREE PRISONERS TAKEN TO THE PENITENTIARY

Sheriff Robinson left Wednesday morning with John Sereno and Lee Foster and Andrew Campbell for Pittsburg, Pa, there to begin their long prison terms. Andrew Campbell went to the work house at Allegany for 90 days and the other two to Pittsburg, Pa, for 6 years and not less than 3 years. Barney Purtle accompanied Sheriff Robinson.

AUTO CLUB FORMED AT KUSHEQUA

There was a large and enthusiastic meeting held last Thursday evening by the Kushequa Automobile Club with a view particularly of seeing what can be done to improve the road between Kushequa and Mt Jewett This road is in a very bad condition and the club is going about the matter to see if the state highway department can be induced to haul cinders from the crossing at Kushequa and place them on the road if such cinders are secured by the club The club states that they would have no trouble in securing the teams if the state is willing to bear the expense Mr H W Martin who is president of the Kushequa Club is making every effort possible to get this piece of road under way

Superintendent of State Highways, Mr F L Scott of Smethport stated in an interview to the Miner the state would give this road their immediate attention and would help with teams Anyhow that they would give the club and its members as much consideration as the finances on this one particular route at this time would warrant

WINNECKE'S COMET.

Winnecke's comet periodic wanderer which approaches the earth at intervals of five years and eight months and will come 'very near' to the earth in June according to the prediction of Dr Crommelin prominent English astronomer, has been sighted by Prof E E Barnard of the Yerkes observatory at Williams Bay, Wis Word to this effect has just been received at the Harvard College observatory Astronomers have been watching for Winnecke's comet for several weeks It was originally discovered in 1858 It moves in an elliptic orbit So far it never has come within several million miles of the earth on its periodic visits While the 'very near' of the astronomers is probably entirely correct the fact that it will not be near enough to be seen without a telescope ought to remove any great fear of a collision

BASE BALL TEAM IS PRACTICING EVERY NIGHT

The players that belong to Smethport Ball Club have begun their regular practice work in earnest—in fact much more so than ever before Manager Ross K Knapp has about 20 men on the list to pick from The first game will be trotted out May 8 The club will play the strong Franklinville team here on this date It is earnestly hoped that the grounds can be put into fine condition for this contest The men who will probably participate in this game are as follows: Gallagher, Bobbie and Louie Hull, Paul Denning, 'Spark" Kohn, Tommy Dunn, Charles McGowan, Ed O'Brien, Howard Denning, Hogan McCarthy, Walker, Peeler, McDermott, 'The Shimmy-Ball Fiend" Thos Clark, Eric Josephson and several other new players which are ready to sign up We are expecting the best and fastest team this year that ever played in Smethport

FARM PRODUCTS DROP IN PRICE DURING MONTH OF MARCH

A general decline in the price of all farm products during March is shown in figures secured by the Bureau of Statistics, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture The prices given are the average for the entire state and show the average prices received by the farmers for their products on March 1, as compared with the averag prices received April 1

	Mar 1	Apr 1
Wheat, per lb.....	$1 70	$1 60
Corn, per bushel ...	88	83
Rye, per bushel. ..	1 30	1 22
Oats, per bushel	.57	55
Buckwheat, per bushel	1 19	1 19
Tobacco, per pound..	.16	.15
Potatoes, per bushel ..	.87	.69
Hay, per ton...	21 58	20.00
Apples, per bushel...	.98	.98
Eggs, per dozen.....	.36	.26
Farm butter, per lb...	.50	.48
Milk, per 100 lbs.....	2 81	2 64

LIEUT P. D. CRAMER MADE THRILLING FLIGHT

Lieut Parker D. Cramer, aviator, took his life in his hands the other day when he drove his airplane under the Kittanning bridge. The feat was successfully accomplished When passing under the bridge he was making 90 miles per hour and had but a small margin above and below

SOME FACTS IN REGARD TO PAVING MECHANIC ST.

The question of paving Mechanic street is still being actively agitated and in conversation with one of the principle promoters Monday, we were informed that in his opinion it would be a certainty, that this thoroughfare would be payed sure in the year 1922 if not this year

There are many irons in the fire in Smethport of which it is sure that some of them will have to be laid on the table for a while at least Many are for electricity, while there are any number ready and willing to discuss the feasibility of the Mechanic street paving work at once.

THE AUTO IS WORKING WONDERS

Makes Smethport Mecca For People From Many Miles Around—Saturday Crowds

The automobile is working wonders here in Smethport and McKean county A few years ago the streets of Smethport were lined with horses and wagons about once a week, but now the streets are lined with automobiles night and day.

The automobile has brought Smethport and the surrounding country close together The automobile has eliminated the miles between the farm and the county seat The horses are allowed to rest in the barn after a hard day's work on the farm while at night the family enjoys a spin in the automobile to Smethport While there attend Mr C C Choate's motion picture slow and have a good time, then it is back into the car, and an hour later they are home

The automobile is doing much to enhance life on the farm No boy or girl now worries about the quietude of the farm There is the machine in front of the house, and town is only a short trip away On one's travel through the county, you will find at almost every farm house an auto drawn up in front or around the barn some place

What a source of satisfaction it must be to walk around to the front of the farm house, take in at a glance the growing crops and grazing cattle, while leaning on the side of an automobile which is 'part of the farm equipment"

Farming in McKean County is becoming more attractive every day The rural telephone, the weekly paper, the free delivery of mail, the comfortable home with "all conveniences," and the automobiles are making farming what it was intended to be, the most attractive, the most independent, and the healthiest of all occupations Do not overlook the farms—many of them are lying idle today.

FIFTY-FIFTY.

In the sweet silence of twilight they honeymooned upon the beach.

'Dearest," she murmured tremblingly, 'now that we are married I—I have a secret to tell you!"

"What is it, sweetheart," he asked softly.

"Can you ever forgive me for deceiving you?" she sobbed My—my left eye is made of glass!"

"Never mind, lovebird," he whispered, gently, "so are the diamonds in your engagement ring!"—Tit Bits

Dr and Mrs Burg Chadwick returned from Washington and New York City, Thursday night after having spent 10 days there

Mr. E. W. Jones has set out about 20 pine trees around his yard on Main street. He plans to permit them to grow for the purpose of having a hedge around the east side of residence.

DOGS RUN DOWN DE[ER]

GAME PROTECTOR L. E. HOGARTH ARRESTED THREE MEN WHO OWNED THE DOGS.

Game Protector Hogarth went to Emporium, Pa., last week and arrested three men that resided in High Valley. Mr Hogarth had the assistance of Game Protector John Ross of Cameron County in locating the three men Each pleaded guilty to having dogs that were running deer. This deer that we mention is very likely to die it is thought as the animal was exhausted when seen to enter a small brook to elude the dogs. Each man was fined $28 and costs which was getting off pretty easy. All three dogs should have been shot and it would not hurt a bit to give such element a good jail sentence beside. Gerney Housler, Clyde Lewis and W S Campbell were the men arrested.

BAND GAVE CONCERT AT COURT HOUSE SUNDAY

The Smethport Band gave a fine concert at the Court House last Sunday afternoon which was thoroughly enjoyed by a large and enthusiastic gathering. The music was much enjoyed and was under the leadership of Editor Russell Lindsley. The band is in need of funds and papers are being circulated by some of our most prominent ladies to help the boys along They will be at your home some time the last of the week Give them a start, because it is a worthy cause The band consists of the following members Cornets—Russell Lindsley, Fred Anderson, Alfred Bush, Edward Oakland and Hugh Abbey, Trombone —Elmer Quirk, Fred Burlingham and Tony Sherro, Baritone — Barney Purtle, Merle Dickinson and R L Farrier Altos —Ross Knapp, Wade Burdick and Joseph Nesson Clarinets — James Quirk, Fred Scott and Arthur Witt, Drums — Bobbie Hull and Neil Holder

MUSICAL HELD AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH A SUCCESS

A splendid musical was held in the Baptist Church last Friday evening The church was well filled and judging from the hearty applause the numbers were highly appreciated. The following program was rendered, also some extras and many encores were responded to

1 Instrumental—Medley, Tanner Trio
2 Male Quartette
3 Tenor Solo—Mr J H Peeler.
4 Song—"Uncle Ned," Richard and Lyle Tanner
5 Reading—The Cowboy's Prayer, Mrs A L Gallup.
6 Six-Piece String Band—Alabama Lullaby
7 Soprano and Alto Duos—Florence and Ruth Schoonmaker
8 Male Quartette
9 Alto Solo—'O Promise Me," Mrs W P Mitchell
10 Piano and Violin Selection, Eliese and Louis Tanner
11 Reading—Gladys Tanner.
12 Girls' Quartette—Agnes Mundy, Mary Hartson, Margaret Spangole and Florence Schoonmaker
13 Trio—'The Clock Song," Norma Mitchell, Kenneth and Roger Green
14 Bass Solo—"One Sweetly Solemn Thought," Mr Noble I Mack.
15 Male Quartette
16 Reading—"Billy Brad and The Big Lie," Mrs A L Gallup.
17. Pali Mahina, Hawaiian Sextette.
18. Chorus— "Good Night Ladies"

ABOUT THE FISHERMEN.

John Diegel had poor luck while out fishing the first day He fell and broke his pole in three places, thus cutting off a day's sport

Claude Heinlein had an awful time over in Potter county fishing, trying to tell three men and a boy where walking first originated. Along in the afternoon he lagged behind and was seen to be falling around the stream causing all the fish if they were any to get under shelter in the banks along, thusly he caught one little tiny fish. He was so tired his partners had to remove his boots that night.

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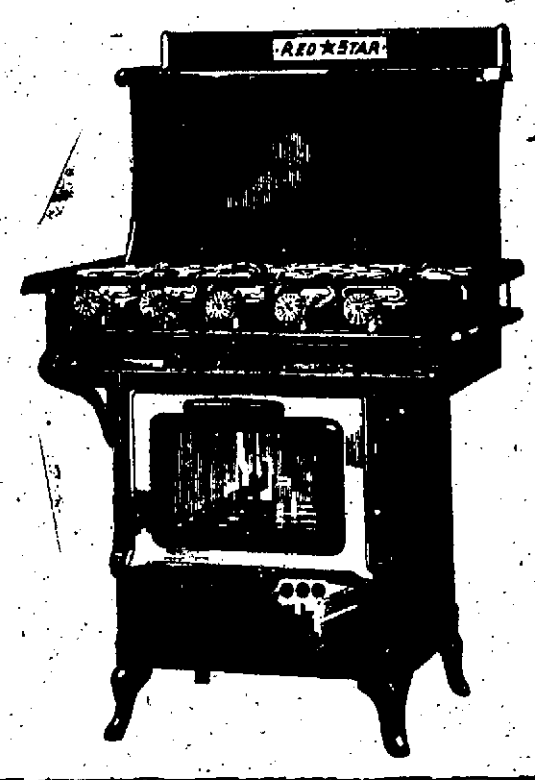

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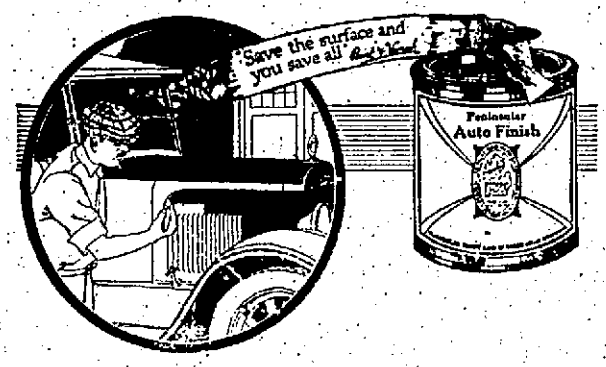

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SUPPORTED WIFE IN OLD COUNTRY, BUT NOT HERE

Olean, April 25.—He sen money to his wife while she was in their old home in Europe but he refused to give her anything after she came to this country, Sied Dehar, 30 years old, told in police court Saturday. Dehar also said he refused to live with his wife. He was arrested in Hornell at the request of Olean police, and he was brought back to this city by Policeman Amos Blakeslee. Judge Dennis Keating ordered the prisoner to pay $6 a week. Dehar was locked up until $200 bonds are furnished.

STATE COLLEGE STUDENTS AID IN EXTENSION WORK

State College, Pa., April23—Lecture retails on dramatics and music, featured by demonstrations by the Penn State Players and the glee club or varsity male quartet, are now being offered by the school of liberal arts of the Pennsylvania State College as part of its extension work in normal schools, high schools and community centers throughout the state. This is a new phase of the work that has been introduced under the direction of Professor M. M. Harris, acting director of the extension work.

"How to Entertain the Community" is the title of a lecture by A. C. Cloetingh, director of the Penn State Players. Accompanied by a group of student players, Professor Cloetingh discusses such points as the construction of scenery, stage settings and the like, the players meanwhile demonstrating ech point by setting up the compart portable scenery which they carry with them. Finally, a short play of one or two acts completes the recital. "How to Lissen to Music" is the novel course offered by Professor C. C. Robinson, head of the department of music, and director of the glee club. This is believed to be the first course of its kind ever offered in extension work, and Professor Robinson drives home his points with the aid of the glee club, quartet or just the phonograph.

Do something each day that will make your work easier each day thereafter.

MILLIONS LOST THROUGH FLOODS

STEPS TO BE TAKEN TO TURN LOSSES INTO BENEFITS.

GOVERNOR SPROUL TO ACT

Chief Executives Of New York And New Jersey To Join Him In Plans To Develop Streams In Public's Interest.

Millions lost annually through floods in Pennsylvania has caused Governor Sproul to take steps looking to the stopping of such losses, as well as the development of water-power, which in even greater value has been permitted for centuries to waste into the sea.

GOVERNOR SPROUL

Because of the unusual topography of the State, Pennsylvania is among the greatest sufferers from flood losses, the many rivers having their head waters in the mountains, over 2,000 feet above sea level, and rushing down to within one, two or three hundred feet of sea level, inside the boundary lines of this State alone. For the same reason, the water power potentialities are great.

One hundred and sixty of the principal towns in the State, situated on these rapidly running rivers, are accordingly subject to heavy flood damages, while even greater damage is visited upon the rural communities and vast agricultural areas, which are annually inundated.

The people of the State are called upon to pay a quarter of a million dollars each year for the replacement of bridges alone. A vastly larger sum is paid annually by Pennsylvanians because of the loss to crops and soil fertility. The depreciation of farm land values due to their susceptibility to flood damage is said to be enormous.

In Western States, where irrigation is required for the raising of food crops, the business of river utilization has long been appreciated and productively carried on. In the East, where water is more abundant, it is only here and there that the rivers have been developed, and then only under the pressure of some great local necessity like the impounding of water for the supply of cities.

The rivers of the Keystone State so destructive in floods include the Delaware, with its tributaries, such as the Lehigh, Schuylkill and Lackawana; the Susquehanna with its North and West branches, and such tributaries as the Lackawana, Juniata and others; also the Monongahela, Allegheny, Youghiogheny, Beaver and the upper portion of the great Ohio itself.

The greatest loss, however, is not from flood damage but the loss of the energy generated by the rivers in rushing from the mountains to the sea—power which if harnessed would far exceed in value the property losses occurring annually through flood damage, and which would in the course of a few years pay for the cost of harnessing these rivers.

To prevent the enormous flood damage requires the construction of reservoirs which would retain the waters in flood time and which could be used in giving a more steady flow to the streams and a more stable water supply for the generation of water power. At the same time, with the construction of these reservoirs, the installation of the necessary power-generating machinery becomes a comparatively easy matter.

While this would have great economic value with special reference to public utilities and industrial activity, it is of general interest because of the inter-dependence which exists between the various phases of acivity within the state—agricultural, mining and manufacturing.

More and more is machinery tending to lighten the work of the farmer, who is thus becoming more keenly interested in power development, not only because it is needed in the production of machines, and cheaper power means cheaper machines, but in the operation of these machines on the farms as well.

The utilization of farm machinery is said to be in its infancy and vast strides toward the machining of farm operations are expected within the next decade or two. A most startling statement was recently made by Henry Ford, that through the utmost use of machinery, the operation of his 8,000 acre farm required but twenty days of work each year.

Since much of the water power wealth of the State lies in rivers which either flow through or are contiguous to New York and New Jersey, Governor Sproul expects shortly to arrange a conference with Governor Miller and Governor Edwards, at which will be discussed mutual measures for flood prevention, and the development of water power and the navigability of the rivers.

INCORPORATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, May 10th, A. D., 1921, by E. A. Studholme, Zetto H. Tyler, L. I. Holmes and O. D. Tuttle, under the Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874 and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called CORYVILLE MILK PRODUCTS COMPANY, the character and object of which is to produce, manufacture, purchase and sell milk and cream and products made therefrom, farm stock, supplies and machinery, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

GUY B. MAYO, Solicitor.
Smethport, Pa.
April 13, 1921. adv15w3.

64 CURED OF THAT DREADED DISEASE LEPROSY

The doxology was sung just before 64 men and women passed out through the gates of Kalihi Hospital in Hawaii, cured of leprosy after treatment with refined chaulmoogra oil, a few days since. The 64 are out on parole, but it is hoped that they are entirely cured and will not have to return to the institution. In all, 142 patients have been paroled during the past two years and ot one has come back. The discovery of the treatment has taken hopelessness out of leprosy.

NEAR EAST RELIEF WORK

Armenian Tubercular patients in Near East Relief Hospital opening Christmas stockings given by U. S. A. sailors

The hundreds of orphans, who are America's awrds in the Levant, were treated to a real American christmas this year. In the NEAR EAST RELIEF Hospital for tubercular children in onstantinople the day was particularly merry. "Gobs" of Uncle Sam's fleet in near eastern waters saw to that.

Early Christmas morning huge trucks carrying jackies and a vast quantity of presents drew up in front of the hospital. T he Sailors remained all day, playing Santa Claus, and helping the litle unfortunates celebrate. Contribute just a little. Send what you spend one day to China.

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Smethport Lodge, No. 389, meets Friday evenings at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Will work initiatory degree first meeting of each month; 1st degree on second; 2nd degree on third; and 3rd degree on fourth meetings.

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SHE SLEPT IN A HEN COOP FRIGHTENED BY NEGRO

Erie, April 25.—Morris A. Johnson, a negro chauffeur, 25 years old, is being held by the police pending an investigation into his alleged conduct last Thursday night, which caused a city-wide search for eight-year-old Helen Jefferson, colored.

The little girl was left alone by her mother in her home at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. At midnight when the mother returned the little girl could not be found and the police started a search for her.

Late Friday morning still weak from fright, the girl limped into her home. She told she had been chased by a negro Thursday night and frightened and had crawled into a chicken coop to avoid detection. She fell asleep, she said, after waiting hours in fear that the negro was still about her home.

Shortly after the girl had told her story Police Matron Jeffs spotted the negro who answered the description near the home of the Jefferson girl. Without waiting for aid from headquarters the police matron placed the negro under arrest. At headquarters he was identified by the girl and court action will be taken.

MOTOR COMPANY SELECTS ERIE FOR ITS BIG PLANT

Erie, April 25.—Site for the location of a half million dollar plant for the manufacture of tractors and motor trucks will be selected within a week, it was announced last Saturday night by promoters of the Masters Motor Company, which will move its main plant from Saginaw, Michigan to Erie.

All the equipment of the Erie Motor Company will be removed to this city, according to D. H. Palmer, president of the concern. Mr. Palmer said Erie had been selected on account of its superior transportation facilities.

Local men interested in the project are: C. F. Wallace, vice president of the Second National Bank, and D. W. Harper, prominent real estate dealer.

PROTEST RELEASE OF POLICEWOMAN

Warren, April 25.—City-wide protest is being made against the proposed action of the police committee of council releasing Policewoman Phoebe Mitten, who has held that position for the last four years. Recommendations prepared for presentation at the May meeting of the borough solons provide for releasing the policewoman and the hiring of an additional patrolman. Women's organizations, headed by the Woman's Club, are having petitions signed that will be presented to council.

64 CURED OF THAT DREADED DISEASE, LEPROSY

The doxology was sung just before 64 men and women passed out through the gates of Kalihi Hospital on Hawaii, cured of Leprosy after treatment with refined chaulmoogra oil, a few days since. The 64 are out on parole, but it is hoped that they are entirely cured and will not have to return to the institution. In all, 142 patients have been paroled during the past two years and not one has come back. The discovery of the treatment has taken hopelessness out of Leprosy.

HEN STICKS TO JOB.

Remains on Nest While Building Burns.

Warren, April 25.—The fire department was called to the home of S. C. Nelson on Spring street in this city. A structure housing a power plant that supplied water for the home burned almost to the ground. Firemen examining after the blaze found in one corner of the ruins a hen calmly sitting on a nest full of eggs. She is unharmed and the owner expects her to bring off a young brood before many days.

TROUT FISHING GOOD.

Warren, April 25.—Never before in the history of the county have so many trout been taken from the streams of the county during the first days of the season as there has been this season. The record catch is held by Charles Hester of Tiona, who took one from the Four Mile creek that was 20 inches long and weighed two pounds and five ounces.

REAL AID FOR THE DISABLED VETERANS

After many long months of aggravated suffering among our disabled soldiers and sailors, and of consequent shame to thoughtful Americans, President Harding's prompt approval of the report of the Dawes committee promises to relieve both suffering and shame. For the first time we have hope of immediate organized effort to provide proper care for those men who sacrificed health and handicapped themselves for life in defense of their country.

The President's selection of the committee to investigate the question of Soldiers' Relief, the speed with which that committee went to the bottom of the problem and returned with its recommendations, and the promptness of Mr. Harding's decision to follow out those recommendations promise success. Speed is a vital matter in this connection. A veteran suffering from some acute nervous disorder, or even from the slower ravages of tuberculosis, cannot wait indefinitely for relief. He needs it now.

But under the system operative to date, with all the bureaus and departments getting into each other's way, tripping themselves and the soldiers on red tape, and otherwise defeating the chief purposes of their existence, no urgency of individual need could hasten the relief required.

Mr. Dawes and his committee saw the error clearly. Their recommendation to consolidate all departments for the care of veterans under one head directly responsible to the president would remove that error. It means results, and results are what the soldiers, sailors, and public alike demand. President Harding will press for immediate legislation to bring about these results. In the meanitme he will consolidate the various agencies in so far as he can under existing law.

It will then be up to congress to provide adequate funds for the best care humanly possible for every service man who needs care. We can never remove entirely the stain upon our reputation which neglect of needy Veterans has caused, but we can prevent the deepening and spreading of that stain. Promptness has marked the work of the President and the Dawes committee to date. It must mark the continuation of that work. President Harding in closing said many, and many a soldier is without a place to lay his head today and most drastic action should be taken by the public to see what can be done to aid these poor fellows.

ARMED WITH PITCHFORKS COMMUNITY HAS BURGLAR

Erie, April 25.—John Johnson, a Swede, picked out a quiet place to do his robbing. Early Friday morning he went to Westminister, a village three miles west of Erie, consisting of half dozen houses and a store, and broke into the store.

There he was loading his pockets with eatables and cigarettes, but he did not know that all the time he was doing this an alarm signal was buzzing in the home of G. E. Mills, owner of the store, who resides next door.

Mills was awakened. His suspicions aroused, he hurriedly summoned neighbors and even from farm houses half a mile distant came the burglar hunters. Pitchforks were in the main used as defenders although two shotguns could be seen in the crowd.

The farmers closed in on the burglar. It was just 3:00 o'clock in the morning when on all sides Johnson found himself barricaded. A shotgun was at the front door, a pitchfork at the side window, an ugly looking rifle poked a nasty nose through a window in the rear and on the other side Johnson saw a long pronged instrument which reminded him very much of one which he used last summer in forking hay.

"Ah ban gave up," he said, as he threw up his hands and walked to the front door. There he was met by Mr. Mills, gun in hand, who ordered him to keep his hands up.

With the burglar under guard the question next to settle was how would he be cared for during the night. There was nothing that even resembled a lockup in the peaceful little community.

So after half an hour Mr. Mills called Lieutenant Pinney at Police headquarters in Erie. He explained the situation to him and the Lieutenant sent the wagon to the countryside place to get the prisoner.

CHILD BURNED BY RUBBISH FIRE

Brought to Hospital in Arms of Neighbor Who Ran the Entire Distance—Child is Believed to be Past Help

With her entire body blistered and flesh hanging in shreds from her little arms, Lillian, the three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Swanson of the Jo Jo road, was brought to the hospital at 11 o'clock this forenoon. She had been in the yard where her mother was burning rubbish and in the twinkling of an eye while her mother's back was turned got into the fire, and before help reached her she was so badly burned that it is though probably she cannot survive. Her head, face and shoulders were the most seriously burned and from all indications she inhaled the flames as her mouth and tongue are burned.

J. S. Messler was working in the field across the road from the scene of the accident and he saw the child's plight and ran to its assistance. Jerking off his jumper he wrapped it around the child, smothering the flames. He then picked the little one up in his arms and ran all the way to the hospital.

At the time of the accident the child's father was working with Richard Swanson who lives on the adjoining farm. They were in the field and word was carried to him as quickly as possible, but before he reached the house Mr. Messler was well on the way to the hospital with the child. The grief-stricken parents followed as soon as possible. They have two other girls both young.—[Kane Republican.

WHITESVILLE MAN PASSES 101ST MILESTONE

Olean, April 25.—Whitesville, just across the Allegany County line from Olean, has a resident who has passed the century mark by one year. David Wilson observed his 101st birthday a few days ago.

Although he has lost considerable of the zip he had 70 or 80 years ago, Mr. Wilson is still in the ring and has more of the old pep than many younger men. He has not lost his grip on life, and his mind is clear.

Mr. Wilson, as far as known is the oldest person in this section. He lives with a daughter, Mrs. Frank Stein, part of the time, but he spends the greater part in his own home.

The passing of the 101st milestone was the occasion of a celebration by the residents of the village of Whitesville; and Mr. Wilson received cards of congratulation and tokens of remembrance from many places.

He was born in Colerain, Mass., in 1820. The family came to New York State when he was one year old and located in Independence, where the members cleared land and lived by farming, lumbering, trapping and hunting.

Mr. Wilson went to Wellsville in 1876, and there he started a carding mill in South Main street. He continued the carding of wool 20 seasons, and then he gave up the business and went to Whitesville.

He remembers this part of the country from his boyhood days, when he lived in Independence. There were no railroads here at that time, and traveling was on horseback and in a lumber wagon.

Streets of the places in this part were little less than oceans of mud in that time, according to Mr. Wilson, and he tells of seeing teams and wagons stuck so that additional teams were necessary to haul them out.

Game in this section was plentiful, and included deer, bear, foxes, rabbits and many others. There was good trout fishing, too. Lumbering was the principal business, and it was a job for a real man to clear the land to put it in condition for cultivation.

Mr. Wilson cast his first Presidental vote for William Henry Harrison when a popular slogan was "Tippecanoe and Tyler, Too."

Three of Mr. Wilson's children are living. They are M. F. Wilson, of Rochester; Mrs. Austin Holden of Port Allegany, Pa. and Mrs. Frank Stein of Wellsville, eight great-grand children and two great-great grandchildren.

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Crosby News

Crosby, April 25. —Emon Dippo and John Hoke of Hazlehurst spent the week here visiting friends.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lathrope, jr., who has been seriously ill is now improving.

Mrs. A. Swanson was a Smethport shopper Friday.

Mrs. M. F. McKeirnan entertained the Saturday Evening Club last Saturday night.

Miss Hattie Smith attended the dance in Port Allegany last Monday night.

Miss Mable Larson was a Smethport caller Friday.

Mrs. Anna McKeirnan spent a few days in Smethport the guest of Mrs. Margaret Barker.

Mrs. Edward Gallup of Colegrove was visiting friends in town this week.

Little "Billie" Cleveland of Smethport is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cleveland.

Miss Lois Stratton and Anathony Greely attended the show in Smethport Wednesday evening—and who did they meet?

Miss Mary Smith was in Smethport, Monday where she is having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hayes and Miss Margaret Cleveland of Warren spent Sunday at their home here.

Miss Mary Amster of Smethport who was the attending nurse for little Ethel Lathrope, has returned home.

Miss Hattie Smith and Miss Ada Searfoss of Clermont were in attendance at the dance in Mt. Jewett last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. W. Edmunds and Miss Grace Winslow were callers in Smethport this week.

Mrs. John Bartlett of Ridgway spent Monday visiting her niece Mrs. Earl Mahwaring.

I wonder where William Edmunds was last Wednesday evening? You'll have to ask Edna.

Oscar Anderson and William Hendrickson were in Mt. Jewett last Wednesday night.

Miss Lois Stratton and Anthony Greely were in Smethport Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Hackett were very pleasantly entertained last Wednesday by Mrs. Teckla Troedson

Mr. Arthur Francis and daughter, Dernice were in Crosby Sunday.

Miss Mable Larson was in Smethport, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Raszman of Larrabee visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Raszman last Thursday.

Mrs. Whitelaw had the misfortune to fall and hurt her quite badly one day last week. Her many friends hope she will soon be able to be around.

Mr. W. A. Hulett was in Roulette, Saturday.

Herbert Griswold and Merle Wilcox were in Smethport, Wednesday evening.

Mr. Cecil Metzgar, Mrs. Clara Wilcox and daughter, Velma and son, Merle were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Larson, Sunday.

Mr. Milford Marsh was in Straights Sunday.

Larabee Items

Larabee, Pa., 25.—R. O. Whipple of Port Allegany was a business visitor in town Monday.

Clarence Whittaker of Roulette is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Pendleton.

Mrs. Leonard Hubbard of Buffalo is a guest of Mrs. E. C. Hubbard.

Mrs. John Campbell of Olean spent Saturday with Mrs. Dennis Daly.

Mrs. J. T. Johnson and daughter, Miss Doris, visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haynes of Bartwell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eros Carpenter were in Port Allegany Friday.

Mrs. Kate Freeman of Emporium is ill at the home of her mother Mrs. Henry Rarsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Vird Dennis and children motored to Farmers Valley Sunday and called on Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Otto.

Mrs. Joel Tomer is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Moore of Eldred for a few days.

Mrs. Jennie Douglas of Eldred assisted Mrs. J. T. Johnson with her house work last week.

East Smethport

You know the little busy bee
Improves each shining minute.
So why not keep two hives or three?

There may be something in it.

Uncle Ab says that if we were happy all the time, happiness would lose its flavor.

East Smethport, April 23.—Misses Eliese Tanner and Alice Ferman of Olean spent the week end at their home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Nourse, April 20, 1921, a baby boy, Richard Sawtelle.

Mrs. Sarah Armstrong, N. U. and W. C. Hyde were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Oviatt of Betula.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Dunn and family of Coryville were Sunday guests at B. L. Hyde's.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Moses of Port Allegany called at F. H. Nourses' Sunday afternoon.

Mary Kleisath spent the week end at her home.

Mary Mather, Vernon Rees and Lawrence Washburn were Sunday guests at O. D. Nourses'.

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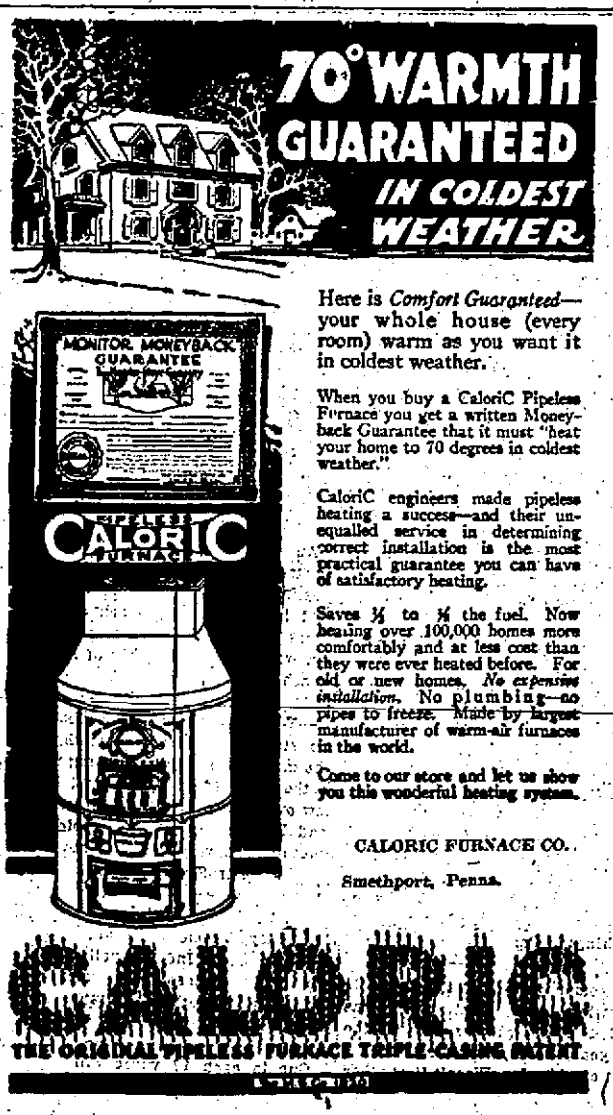

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EDITORIAL.

A Double-Barreled Program

President Harding proposes, first, to establish peace with Germany by passing the Knox resolution, which repeals and negatives the war resolution of April 6, 1917. This done, he then proposes to ratify or adhere to, the Versailles Treaty, minus its covenant provisions.

The specialists in international law and usage are busy arguing whether or not this doubled-barreled program is feasible or legal—some saying it is some that its is not.

With all respect to the dissentients, it its perhaps permissible to say their contentions are absurd. They are victims of a vice to which the learned are addicted—namely, the assumption that words and forms are realities and through their own force establish inhibitions. Yet in truth they are but images. The realities lie behind them.

A state of peace may come into existence after a war without a treaty. Peace is a condition, a status, and may prevail without a single scratch of pen on paper. The message of the Knox resolution would merely mean the recognition of an atecedent fact. But even as a method of certification no serious claim is made that it is inadequate to the end its seeks. The international law faculty unanimously agrees that peace can be proclaimed by resolution.

If the Knox resolution is accepted as furnishing sufficient evidence that the war is over, then the country is free, as a souvereign state, to make any agreements it sees fit to make with any nation or group of nations. A nation's power is plenary in this respect. Our state papers are full of records of qualified adherence to general agreements. If a qualified ratification is agreeable to those with whom we deal, a reciprocal bargain is, of course, closed.

But it its said that should we proclaim peace with Germany various matters which were settled to our advantage by the Treaty of Versailles would be reopened, and, as we would have no sword to hold over Germany's head, we would be forced to make concessions to gain our ends.

Nonsense. If we adhere to the Versailles Treaty with the approval of our allies we would not have one sword but the associated sword of four other great nations to hold over Germany's head. Can't it be seen that the prospect for us or any other nation to secure the advantages of the Versailles Treaty depends not on the agreement reached but on ability and a willingness to enforce the agreement?

The European nations would be most happy to help us get ours if we in turn would help them to get theirs. Any one who can't see this suffers from dimmed eyesight.

THE DOCTOR

The alleged rapacity of doctors is one of the meanest of libels. It is contradicted by common knowledge and every-day experience. The physician who thinks first of his fee is a rarity.

The young woman of Trenton who was ready to sell herself in marriage for $1,000 to pay for an operation on her mother need only have gone to the nearest hospital and not a cent would have been asked. A Brooklyn doctor two days ago got up from a sick bed to take a bullet from the brain of an insane prisoner. His fee was—nothing.

From the time of Galen the medimal profession has been the butt of the jesters. Most of the jokes are variants of "The surgeon buries his mistakes." Addison, in The Spectator thought it good humor to write: "We my lay it down as a maxim that when a nation abounds in physicians it grows thin of people" * * * This body of men in our country may be described like the British army in Caesar's time. Some of them slay in chariots and some on foot. If the infantry do less execution than the charioteers it is because they cannot be carried so soon into all quarters of the town and dispatch so much business in so short a time."

Yet there were doubtless fifty doctors in London who would have given their days and nights to Addison, though he hadn't a guinea to pay.

Doctors are no doubt lower than the angels, but in whose daily labor is there more unselfish service to fellow human beings?—[New York Tribune.

A splendid service to the American patriotism was done by Dr. William L. Ettinger in his reply to the impudent letter of the Hunnish propagandist, Edmund von Mach, who had the colossal gall to protest against the reading of a recent speech by General Pershing in the public schools, as "illadvised." The spectacle of this unregenerate Hun assuming to suggest what was fitting to be done in American schools, and to act as censor upon a patriotic speech by the General of the American army, was calculated to made gods and little fishes sit up and take notice. It was of course an act of condecension for Dr. Ettinger to take any notice whatever of the absurd protest, but he is entitled to gratitude for the straightforward manner in which he pilloried Von Mach's rubbish as "mawkish sentimentality" and hysterical oratory," declared that General Pershing's address "was an admirable exposition of the point of view generally held by Americans, as disinguished from the views held by those who undertake the impossible task of maintaining a divided allegiance," and to sum up the whole matter added:

I flatly disagree with you that the reading of Gen, Pershing's address is ill-advised. On the contrary, I concur most heartily with the letter sent out by Associate Superintendent Meleney requesting that Gen, Pershing's speech be made the basis of careful reading and extended discussion in every high school in the city.

More power to Dr. Ettinger! And more power to the prevalence of his spirit in every American school!

BACK TO LEAVENWORTH

The United States Supreme Court having refused to review their case, "Big Bill" Haywood and 79 other Industrial Workers of the World, convicted at Chicago of attemting to obstruct the government's prosecution of the war, will have to go back to jail and serve out their sentences. They were reposing safely in Leavenworth penitentiary when they were released on bail pending the decision on their appeal. Now they will return to their respective cells, and probably for the first time in many years they will be worthy of their title as "industrial workers."

The American people have not forgotten the trouble Haywood and his cohorts made at the critical period when the army was organizing and this government was striving to mobilize all its resources for the defeat of Germany. These so-called "Industrial Workers of the World" were guilty of many offenses. They obstructed the draft and violated the espionage act. They interfered with the government's activities and in numerous instances were known to be guilty of acts of sabotage. In all, 97 of them were convicted, some of whom have now served their sentences, but there are 80 who are headed back to Leavenworth, where Judge Landis sentenced them.

These men are some of the "political prisoners" for whose pardon President Harding is being importuned. To release Haywood and his gang would constitute an affront to one of the 24,000,000 men of this country who came forward and registered under the selective draft law, and it would be an insult to the 40,000,000 who took up arms to fight the nation's battles. Men of this sort who hold no respect for law and order, who have no pride in the American government or our institutions, but who delight in fomenting trouble and discontent, are better off behind the bars than at large. In their ideas and their actions they give no excuse for receiving clemency.—(Washington Post).

A woman justice of the peace in Greenwich Connecticut, who has married many couples during the past year, notes that most of the brides are blondes. Wasn't it another legal light who stated not long since that blondes were dangerous?

We had a few lines in The Miner last week in regard to the court ruling that Sheriff Robinson should not permit any person held in the county jail to work outside no matter what the charge may be. It is generally known by all that there has never been a time in the history of the jail that a trusted man that was permitted to work outside had ever escaped from the bastile and it seems funny that such a law should be put down restricting the Sheriff when there is so much to be done around the court house with the lawns to be mowed and the general up-keep that is necessary at this time of year. Even the larger prisons are permitting men to work outside and more so now than ever before. These men are indeed a great help to Sheriff Robinson—and the men themselves greatly appreciate a little chance to get out where they can do something to occupy their minds.

In 1890 per capita consumption of milk in the United States was approximately 22 gallons. Double that amount is now used. This estimate made by the dairy division of the Department of Agriculture, refers to whole milk and does not include that which is consumed in the form of ice cream, cheese and butter. Dairy specialists point out that the increase in the use of milk in the last 30 years is as great that in the preceding 280 years. The estimate of 44 gallons of milk per person may seem large, but it is equal only to only about one pint per day, or as much as two small glasses. That is not a great amount when it includes milk for drinking and cooking and is a small quantity compared to the per capita consumption in some European countries. In Sweden and Switzerland nearly 70 gallons are used by each person annually.

John Rodemeyer, warm advocate of bald heads and president of the Bald Head Club of America cannot be referred to truthfully as a deep student of the scriptures. In his address or plea in behalf of a bill incorporating his organization, before the Connecticut Legislature, Mr. Rodemeyer mentioned that Elijah was bald headed and that 42 bears came out of the woods and ate up the people who mocked his baldness. Representative Rogers of Litchfield corrected Mr. Rodemeyer and inforemd him that it was two she bears that Elijah summoned and that ate 42 children who mocked him. But neither was Mr. Rogers accurate, for it was the prophet Elisha, on whom the mantle of Elijah fell, who was mocked by the children, who called out, "Go up thou bald head; go up thou bald head." Elisha cursed them in the name of the Lord and "there came forth two she bears out of the woods and ate 40 and two children of them."

The one thing that is rapidly growing in this country today is the White Slave traffic which is becoming more menacing by the hour. It has been discovered that girls have been sold by the thousands in Detroit, Michigan, for immoral purposes. That over 200 girls between the ages of 14 and 20 are now on their way from Armenia, Palestine and Turkey to be sold to alien residents and girls are being sought throughout the land if the guilty parties could be caught. The most of this dirty work is being accomplished by foreigners of almost every race. And the right place for this elecmnt is in state's prison for about 20 years in every place where they are proven guilty of White Slave act. Too much leniency is shown to the persons that are caring on this horrible traffic.

Mechanic St. Crossing Is Made Safe

An electric block signal has been constructed on the Mechanic street crossing, the first of its kind to be used in Smethport. When a train enters the block the bell starts ringing, warning al those near of its approach.

—Work has begun at Larrabee on the state road towards Smethport. The men are busy on the Young farm at the big bridge. There will be a new overhead bridge built there. The road leading from this point to Smethport is very god just now for automobile traffic.

Mr. Fred Hungiville and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holmes left Wednesday morning for Indiannapolis where they will purchase a Marmon car through the Smethport Garage Company and drive it home.

One in each 17 wives will listen while friend husband tells a story but even she doesn't catch the point.

LITTLE THOUGHTLETS

"I have gave up Jonah," said the Whale,
Who lately came to town,
"Because I knew I couldn't keep
A good man D
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W
N.

—GEORGE.

Every man feels pretty well satisfied with himself 'til some noisy old spinster aunt shows him a picture of himself "when he was five, turnin' six."

A Missouri man killed one man in mistake for another. He is expected to apologize.

The scientists have discovered that the fingernails breed disease germs, and one of the exchanges says: "Boil the finger nails."

While kissing his sweetheart, a baseball player down in Allegany, Pa., broke his collar bone. Served him right for "offside" play.

Whenever the fool killer sees somebody putting poison and medicine bottles on the same shelf he feels that he can leave that particular case to take care of itself.

The banks will be generous. They will not furnish the burglars' trust with the names and addresses of the few people who have withdrawn their money from the banks.

"Owe nothing, know nothing; own nothing, and want nothing," offers a pretty easy existence.

Selected Verses

THE VILLAGE TERROR.

Bill Harter's baddest boy in town!
I 'low if you looked up an' down
From Marvin's Ford to Burkett's Mill
You wouldn't find none bad as Bill!

An' he can swear jist orful, too,
Like hired men an' fathers do;
Ma says I mustn't chum him 'cause
No self-respectin' boy here does.

An' he can fight like all git out!
He's licked the fellers all about;
I wouldn't cross him, no sir-e-e-e;
He'd wallop four the size of me!

An' once he blued Sam Whipple's eye,
An' bloodied up his nose, an my
How Billy swore an' took on jest
'Cause Sam had robbed a "hi-hole's" nest.

An' once when we all yelled at Gail,
Because his pa was off in jail,
Bill Harter someways heard of it
An' whopped the whole blamed pack an' kit!

But somethin' I don't understand
Is why my pa should clap his hand
When he heerd it, an' laugh an' say
"Bill Harter'll make a man some day."

—JOHN D. WELLS.

Erie Doctor Arrested on Charge of Manslaughter

Erie, April 26.—Dr. A. G. Davis of No. 1019 East Avenue, is hurrying back to Erie from a curtailed auto trip through the New England states to answer charges of manslaughter, preferred by the father of a little girl, whom he treated last year for diptheria.

The doctor and his wife left Erie Saturday morning on a trip through the New England States after which the doctor intended taking a special course in Boston, Mass. Later in the day a warrant charging manslaughter was sworn out by John Pikiewicz, father of three-year-old Lucy Pikiewicz, who died of diptheria December 18, 1920.

The father alleges that an overdose of anti-toxin was administered by the doctor. Since the death of his daughter he has been attempting to force a settlement but the doctor has refused to comply with the demands.

The warrant was sworn out when all efforts to get a civil settlement failed and local police wired authorities in New England to arrest Dr. Davis as a fugitive from justice. Friends of the doctor got in touch with him and when informed of the criminal charge he announced he would come directly back to Erie to face it.

The State Board of Health has taken up the defense and will assist in clearing Dr. Davis, it was announced Monday.

The Birth Stone for April.
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Movies for the following week:

Monday, May 2nd
Constance Talmadge in
"An Experimental Marriage"
PATHE NEWS
Tuesday, May 3rd
W. S. Hart in
"Wagon Tracks"
TOPICS OF DAY
Wednesday, May 4th
"Two Kinds of Love"
with special cast
Serial—"SON OF TARZAN"
Thursday, May th
Mildred Harris in
"The Inferior Sex"
KINOGRAMS
Friday, May 6th
Katherine McDonald in
"Passions Playground"
Saturday, May 7th
Viola Dana in
"Off Shore Pirate"
"From Hand to Month"
Lloyd Comedy

Star Theater
SMETHPORT, PA.

McKean Co. Miner

Thursday, April 28, 1921.

LOCAL MENTION.

Here is a little rime that was brought back to Buffalo by a most prolific contributor. He came from Saegertown, Pa. It had been hidden in a country burying ground:

Under the daisies
Under the leaves,
Here lies the body
Of Solomon Pease.

Peasa is not here, only the pod;
Solomon's shuffled home to his God.
— Buffalo Times.

—Don't forget the date of the big carnival, May 2-7.

—The Ladies Aid Society "Dorcas" of the Swedish Mission Church will meet next Wednesday, May 4 at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Ed. Norman

—The new ad for this week: Calorie Furnace Company.

—We have a full market report in The Miner every week. Sugar is down to 6 3-4 cents a pound, the lowest since 1917.

—Do not forget that you can buy The Hay Rake at Geary's now.

—The change of ads is as follows: Hallstrom Bros., Lawrence Munn, Miss Irene Elizabeth Gabriel, Star Theater, C. W. Masser, Smethport Garage Company, Scoville, Brown & company, Wellsville, Masser Bros.

—Dr. Ostrander is still busy around his drug store cleaning up and laying a new wall and sills. He has also had the corner telephone pole removed and concrete put in its place to fill the hole.

—Wedding bells will ring merrily in just a few short days in Smethport One young man in town is trying hard to suppress the good news and he thinks the boys are not wise, but they are patiently waiting for that day in June.

—Edward Bennett was up Potato Creek last week and discovered five deer working in that section. He said they were to far away to tell much about their condition. This is the second time this year that he has had the pleasure of seeing deer.

—The Kushequa railroad company resumed operation last Monday morning on every day schedule. So the much talked of railroad leading between Smethnort and Backus is operating on schedule time between these points.

—The sun began to get up early in the morning the past three weeks and soon the rest of us will have to. Old Sol is improving less than a minute a morning, but the first of another month the day will have lengthened at the evening by thirty-four minutes longer than on January 1st.

—The Young People's Society will hold their next social at the church parlors of the Baptist Church, Friday evening, April 29. There will be a debate of the question "Resolved that Women's Rights has Proven a Success." Two young men and two young ladies will discuss each side of the question. During the balance of the evening there will be music and games.

PERSONALS.

Forrest Abbey spent the week end in Olean.

Miss Grace Kerr is spending a few weeks in Olean.

Lester Simons of Bradford was a Smethport visitor Tuesday.

Mrss Geo. Schroth was an Olean visitor Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Day spent the week end in Hornell.

Miss L. O'Connel was a Bradford visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Helen Morrison was a Bradford Saturday.

Mr. Alfred Johnson was a Kane visitor Saturday.

Mr. Scott Redfield has leased the O'Riely farm for the summer.

Mrs. Ada Young was in Friendship Saturday, visiting relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Van Dyke were at Port Allegany Sunday afternoon.

Miss Emma Tretton is having the roof of her house shingled this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. German spent a few days in Buffalo last week.

Mr. Gene Wilson of Olean spent the week as guest of friends in this

Miss Freda Chilcote is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leo Digel and family.

Dr. Lorry of Olean spent a few days last week with Dr. Henry L. McCoy.

Mrs. C. Corwin and Miss Edna Freeman were Port Allegany visitors.

Mr. Harry Backus and Wm. Mitchell were Bradford visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dodge and family are moving to Betula this week.

Mrs. Sylvanus Pierce and son Kenneth spent a few days in Bradford last week.

Miss Mayte Connolly and Miss Louise Heath were Bradford visitors Saturday.

Miss. Edith Young spent the week end as guest of Mrs. Enos Southwick of Johnsonburg.

Mrs. Kathryn Sullivan and sons John and Edward were Olean visitors Saturday.

Miss Kathyrn Mayo of Bradford spent the week end at her home in this place.

—Sidney Burdick is the pianist for the vaudeville at the carnival—nuf-ced.

Mrs. John Apple was taken to Buffalo Friday to undergo an operation.

Mrs. Frank Heath returned to few weeks as guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Abbey.

Mrs. James McKean was seriously ill Tuesday evening, but is much improved at present.

Mrs. Claude Shattuck entertained the Auction Bridge Club Thursday evening at her residence.

Dr. Robert Hamilton was seriously ill at his home on Main street last week, but recovered rapidly.

Messers Neall Holder and Eddie Lindholm were in Kane Saturday evening.

Mr. E. G. Potter left for Harrisburg Thursday, to be gone about a week.

Mrs. Amandus Engstrom went to Buffalo Saturday to visit her daughter Alene who has a position in that city.

Dr. and Mrs. Alvie Livermore entertained the Consonat Club Monday evening.

Arthur Dardenne of Port Allegany spent the week end as guest of friends in this place.

Mr. William Morrison is seriously ill with cirosis of the liver, at the present writing.

Mrs. Bosworth entertained Monday evening for Mrs. Orlo Hamlin's guest, Mrs. Spooner of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Nourse are the proud parents of a son born Wednesday, April 20th.

Clement Aldorfer of Port Allegany was the guest of friends in town the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Fred Masser entertained The Kensington Club Wednesday evening at her home on Main Street.

The Misses Louise Mangold Eva and Leona Reese of Port Allegany were Smethport visitors Saturday.

Mrs. George Kinley of Corry, Pa., spent the week end as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hungiville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Camp and grandson Tommy Pomeroy are spending the week in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Fred Masser entertained the Kensington Club Wednesday evening at her home on West Main street.

Mrs. Guy McCoy entertained the Auction Bridge Club Wednesday evening at a dinner at her residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson of Olean spent Saturday at the home of Mr. M. G. Oakley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cuminskey and son of Bradford spent Saturday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Herzog and family.

Mrs. James Quirk entertained The St. Elizabeth Aid Society Thursday (today) afternoon at her home on Main Street.

Messers Herbert Anderson, Oscar Sandstrom and Willard Paulson of Mt. Jewett were Smethport visitors Sunday evening.

The Base Ball Team has begun to practice regularly.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Grabe and family of Port Allegany spent Sunday in town as guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Hafner.

The Surprise Oil Company is drilling a new well on its lease near the county farm. A. J. Hyatt has charge of the work.

Mrs. Joseph Anderson of Kasson and daughter, Mrs. Adolph Johnson of Crosby, were Bradford visitors Monday.

Mrs. Thos. H. Morrison, Mrs. Mary Bosworth, Mrs. C. C. Choate and Mrs. H. L. Backus motored to Port Allegany Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. O. J. Hamlin, Mrs. M. H. Spooner, Mrs. W. S. Palmer, Mrs. S. F. Redfield and Mrs. Lincoln Green were Bradford visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. John Larson entertained a number of girls at a six o'clock dinner Saturday in honor of her daughter Hazel's 15th anniversary. The color scheme was yellow.

Messers John Hamilton, Ralph Kohn, William Taylor, Leonard Curran, Gerald Denning, Roy Engstrom and Norman Schroat attended the dance at Port Allegany Monday evening.

Rev. Emilid Winsted and a few singers from the Swedish Mission Church will go to Crosby Thursday (today) and hold a service in the M. E. Church all are cordially invited.

Miss Carrie Lindholme underwent an operation for appendicitis Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Her brother and mother are with her at present.

—Help the American Legion by attending the big carnival Tuesday, May 24.

Mrs. M. G. Oakley who underwent a serious surgical operation at the Bradford hospital a week ago Monday is getting along fine, which is pleasing news to her many friends.

Mrs. Ralph Herzog, Miss Edna Freeman, Miss Catharine Mayo and Clement Aldorfer motored to Port Allegany Sunday where Miss Mayo took the train for Bradford.

Mr. Leander Gallup and Mr. and Mrs. Clate Gallup and children of Port Allegany were guests at the home of Lewis Raymer and family Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Studholm entertained a number of ladies at a luncheon Thursday at the Studholm farm, in honor of Mrs. M. H. Spooner of Boston.

The younger boys club of St. Lukes Church, under the direction of Miss Mae. Choate, gave a delightful entertainment Monday evening at the parish house. The little boys recited, sang, and danced, and altogether gave a very creditable performance. The mothers of the boys, and also the members of St. Helen's guild were present as guests. After the entertainment the children played games, later light refreshments were served.

Much credit is due Miss Choate for the admirable work she has done both among the children, and in the older guilds.

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NEWS from the WORLD of SPORTS

TO OPEN GATES TO KIDDIES

President Ebbets of Brooklyn to Admit Youngsters Free One Day Each Week This Year.

President Ebbets of the Brooklyn club expects to open his gates one day a week this season free to kids. He did that several years ago, but when one lad was accidentally killed

President Ebbets.

in a fall from the grand stand the idea of free days for the boys was abandoned, because it was hard to control them.

Sporting Squibs of All Kinds

Newark's new $500,000 stadium will feature amateur bicycle races.

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Carter, a Cornell runner, has left school, but hopes to return next year.

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Edouard Horemans, the Belgian balkline billiard wizard, is self-instructed.

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Many an auto will speed most of the summer just outside the golf course.

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Hawaiian swimming championships will take place at Honolulu May 28 and 30.

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Syracuse university has added a motorcar course to its regular curriculum.

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Fighters are paid by piecework. The more they can knock out, the more they get.

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Harvard, Colgate and Pittsburgh track teams will have dual meets on the Penn State campus.

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Tommy Fallon, star forward of Fordham college basketball team, has been elected captain for next season.

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Columbia has the heaviest crew in its history on the waters of the Hudson. There are three senior and two freshman boats out.

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A bill legalizing boxing in Missouri and creating a boxing commission has been passed by the legislature. The American Legion backed the bill.

LOCAL MENTION

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Ruffelo of Youngstown, Ohio, Monday, April 25. Mrs. Ruffelo was formerly Miss Edith McGuire.

Miss Florence Oakley returned from Bradford Saturday where she has been visiting her mother, who is a patient at the Bradford hospital.

Rev. W. E. Van Dyke who recently received a call to the Episcopal church in Hornell has decided to remain here. This decision will be very gratifying to his many friends. Rev. Van Dyke has been a faithful, earnest worker for the betterment of his people, and in fact the whole community. We are glad he is to remain with us.

The article on "The Beaver" in last weeks Miner was written by I. E. Bailey of Norwich, through a mistake his name was not signed to the article. We tender our apologies to Mr. Bailey, and wish to thank him for writing for us on such an interesting subject.

—This is fine weather for the work being done at the Rose Hill cemetery. Mrs. Fred Green reports great progress. Pipe for water line ready. Cinder road under construction.

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THE VICTORY MEDAL

As a token of appreciation of the services of men who served it in the World War, our Government has awarded to each of them, The Victory Medal.

Artistically, it is an exquisite thing.

The medal is of bronze. On its obverse is the bas-relief figure of Winged Victory. On its reverse, the shield of The United States superposed by the words "The Great War For Civilization", and flanked by the names of the allied countries which united to crush the Boche and to check Hun "Kulture."

The medal is suspended from a ribbon of rainbow tints, the blended colors of the Allies, and across the ribbon are fastened bronze clasps each bearing the operation in which the wearer served.

But the real value of this medal is in its significance for, by its, a man is marked as one who came forward to defend America in her hour of peril, to champion Civilization, and to uphold the laws of God Almighty.

To its owner, this medal should be a precious possesion; to his childrens' children, it will be a blessed heritage.

To facilitate the distribution of those medals to those men entitled to receive them, the War Department has opened District Medal Offices throughout the country. In this District, there are Victory Medal Offices at: Scranton, Pa., Post Office Bldg.; Harrisburg, Pa., P. O. Box No. 173; Pittsburgh, Pa., 431 6th Ave.

Method of Obtaining the Medal

The medal may be obtained by calling at any of these offices with the discharge which is there stamped and handed back. The application is signed and, if the medal has no battle clasps, it will be given to the applicant then and there. If the medal has battle clasps, the discharge is stamped and handed back, and the application is forwarded to Philadelphia from where the medal will be mailed direct to the applicant.

If it is not practicable for the applicant to call at an office, he may write, requesting an application balnk. This he returns with his discharge. The discharge will be stamped and returned to the applicant, and the medal will be sent to him by mail. It is proper to say here that this office has handled about 13,000 discharges without the loss of one discharge.

Should the applicant, however, not wish to risk sending his discharge, to a V. M. Office, he may request a form for making a copy of discharge, when he requests an application blank, which form he may forward instead of the original discharge.

In case of a deceased man, the medal goes to his next of kin, who should make the application. The procedure in such cases is the same as in the case of a living man, using, however, a different form. It is not necessary in such cases to forward the discharge, instead of which may be forwarded evidence of death, such for example, as an official communication from The War Department; War Risk Insurance Bureau, Graves Registration Bureau, Letters from Chaplains, Newspaper clippings, Affidavit before a Notary, etc.

REV. JOHN C. WARD ACCEPTS BISHOPRIC

Is Reluctant to Leave Grace Parish Here.

Erie, April 25.—Rev. John C. Ward, rector of Grace P. E. church here, who was recently elected bishop of the Diocese of Erie, Pa., has written a letter of acceptance to Rev. Martin Aigner, D. D., president of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Erie.

Rev. Ward's letter follows:

"Since the surprising announcement of the action of the special committee of your diocese came to me, I have done my best to gain by thought and prayer a clear vision of my duty.

"My love for Grace Parish and my other Buffalo ties have made it most difficult for me to come to the decision which I have reached. Slowly however, the conviction has forced itself upon me that this call to serve the church as bishop in the Diocese of Erie is in reality an order which I have no right to disobey.

"I therefore accept this election, subject to the aproval of the bishops and standing committees.

Most sincerely yours,
Rev. John C. Ward.

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PHYSICIANS QUERY

McKean County Doctors Consider Themselves Above Bartenders

Kane Republican: Fearing that the last ruling of A. Mitchell Palmer as atorney general might have a tendency to degrade the medical profession until its followers became little more than "bar tenders," the physicians of McKean County have registered voice of disapproval to the administering of the law as prescribed under Palmer's construction of the Volstead act. The medical association of this county is the first to petition congress to correct the law.

The following resolution was passed by the McKean County Medical association of Pennsylvania. It is signed by Dr. E. O. Kane, Dr. G. G. Ash, Dr. G. E. Beuninghoff, and 40 other physicians:

"We urge congress to make it its business to correct the law so as to prevent brewing interests from making the medical profession a party to the sale of malt liquors through booze prescriptions, as it appears it may through the last ruling of ex-Attorney General Palmer."

"It is earnestly desired," says the letter transmitting the resolution, 'that you make every effort to protect us from becoming little better than bar-tenders.

SOLONS SNOWBOUND FOR SIX HOURS ASK INVESTIGATION

Chicago, April 25.—The 50 State Senators and Representatives who were dug out of the snow while prisoners on a Chicago & Northwestern train near Woodstock, have written to President Finley demanding an investigation. They say:

"For six hours we have been herded in unheated cars without care or regard for our comfort or safety. There are eight women and a three-months-old infant being allowed to slowly freeze.

"All of this disgraceful misconduct by your officials or employes is taking place not on the plains of the Far West but on a main line of your railroad within 50 miles of Chicago, the world's railroad center and your headquarters."

A snow plough sent to their relief jumped the track.

FREE MESSENGER RATES IF FARMERS ARE TO EXIST

Young Shows Deadly Effect of Influx Without Duties of Foreign Products in Home Market.

Washington, April 23.—That the enactment of the emergency agricultural tariff bill is essential if the prosperity of the farmers of the contry is to be restored is evidenced by figures presented by Representative George M. Young, of South Dakota, in charge of the bill for the Ways and Means Committee in the House. He said:

"The annual consumption of flax in the United States is 25,000,000 bushels. We imported 24,000,000 bushels in 1920. In other words, we imported all of our needs excepting 1,000,000 bushels. We raised in this country last year about 11,000,000 bushels. That leaves 10,000,000 bushels of flax to flood this market and depress the price.

"I will give you a few figures to just show how this works out to the man who raises flax. The total acreage of the United States was 1,785,000 acres in 1920. The total production was 10,990,000 bushels, giving an average yield per acre of 6.2 bushels. About one-third of that flax was grown in North Dakota. The average there was 5.3 bushels per acre. The last quotations, which reached me last night, in the Grand Forks Herald, gives the price at $1.22 for flax. That would mean $6.47 per acre is scandalously below the cost of production. The average cost of raising flax in Sorth Dakota was $15.70 per acre, according to the United States Bureau of Markets. The cost in Minnesota was $21.40 per acre.

"The situation is respect to live stock is of a highly emergency character. During the winter of 1918 and 1919 there was very little snow in the Northwest and in the Mountain States, and in the following summer there was a very severe drought which dried up the pastures and meadows and during the winter of 1919, 20 there was need for buying hay and other feed to winter the stock. It is true that during the war the growers of live stock had been able to do fairly well and to accumulate something, but during that winter they had to buy hay that used to cost $5 to $6 a ton and pay $20 to $25 a ton. So that in the spring of 1920 it was a very rare stock raiser of the West who did not owe more to the bank than his stock was worth after the slump came. In other words, after the price of live stock and meat had been deflated, the stock was mortgaged for more than it was worth, and it was impossible for the banks to secure liquidation.'

HAY RAKE MAGAZINE IS PUBLISHED IN THE WOODS

The Hay Rake Magazine, which has recently made its appearance in Smethports newsstands is written, illustrated and published in a cross roads village in Warren County, some 16 miles west from Warren. The Hay Rake is written entirely by one man, Editor Arch Bristow who is cartoonist and writer. Bristow draws the Zimmie and Lizzie series of drawings which are put out by the George Matthew Adams newspaper service of New York.

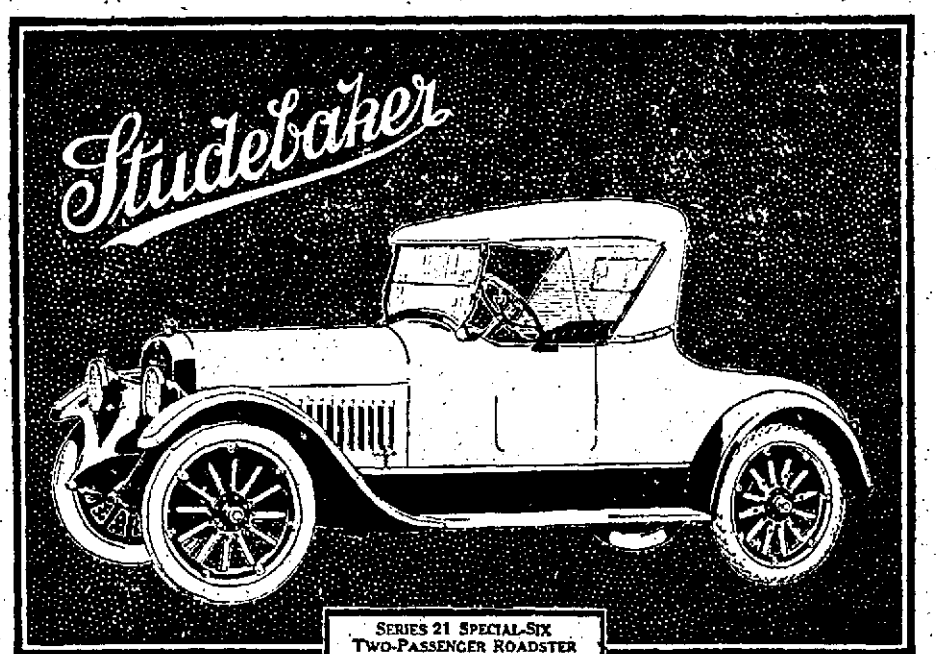
For the past ten years Bristow has lived in the village of Garland and sent his cartoons to the New York concern by mail, where they are made up in mat form and sent out to more than 200 large dailies. The Hay Rake which is a little magazine or booklet containing about 60 pages 5x7, was born about 9 months ago. It leaped into almost instant popularity. The first edition was 1,000, the May edition is to be 20,000.

The Hay Rake is not a "Farm Magazine," as the title might suggest, but a breezy collection of humor and philosophy, together with a series of most unusual articles on health and its attainment by Dr. William H. Hay, now practicing in Buffalo and many other subjects of interest are chronicled them. There is nothing like it on the market nor has there ever been anything like it.

At present the sheet is printed in Philadelphia in order to secure printing accommodations. The writing, illustrating and editing of it is all done in Garland in an old shoemakers shop. Many people have likened Arch Bristow's style of writing to that of Elbert Hubbard. Others say his humor is not unlike Mark Twain's. And still others claim his nature studies equal those of Thoreau. At any rate the Hay Rake is a most Amazingly popular magazine and you can get it at Geary's

The older we grow and the more we see, the greater becomes our pity for the weaker sex. He certainly hasn't more than half a chance in this world of struggle and endeavor.

The right to strike is beginning to seem much less important than the right to work.



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		LIGHT-SIX LANDAU-ROADSTER	1850
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		F. O. B. South Bend	

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Market Reports.

PUBLISHED WEEKLY BY THE

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Conditions prevailing on the Pennsylvania city markets for products sold during the week with Monday's quotations up to noon or the last time the goods were on the market. These quotations are based on sales made by commission merchants and other original receivers and represent prices farmers should receive, less the customary charges and expenses. Unless otherwise stated, prices quoted relate to Pennsylvania State and nearby products of good merchantable quality and condition.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS

Butter.

Creamery—
Extra to high score....48½c to 50c
Firsts to extra firsts...44½c to 48c
Seconds and lower grades 33½ to44c
UNSALTED—
Extra to high score....51½ to 53c
Firsts to extra first....47½c to 51c
Seconds and lower grades34½ to 47
STATE DAIRY—
Fine to fancy.....46c to 48c
Good to prime.....38c to 45c
Common to fair.....30c to 37c
Prints.....46c to 50c
Danish creamery.....45c to 48c
Holland, creamery.....42c to 48c
Argentina in boxes.....30c to 40c
New Zealand, in boxes...45c to 48c

Cheese

PENNSYLVANIA WHOLE MILK.
Flats, held, colored or white
23c to 29c
Average run.....25c to 27½c
Lower grades.....22c to 24½c
Twins, held colored or white
27½c to 28½c
Average run.....24½c to 27c
Lowes grades.....21½c to 24c
Single daisies, held, colored or white.....27c to 29c
Young Americas, held..27c to 29½c
State skims, fresh, special
15c to 16½c
Prime to choice....13c to 14½c
Fair to good.....10c to 12½c
Lower grades.....5c to 9½c
Held, specials.....17½c to 20c
Held, prime to choice.15½c to 17c
PENNA. SWISS CHEESE—
Round, fancy, large eyed.62c to 65c
Round, No. 1.....52c to 56c
Round, No. 2.....28c to 36c

EGGS.

STATE HENNERY WHITES—
Extra fancy.....36c to 37c
Fine to fancy.....34c to 35c
Fair to prime.....32c to 33c
common to fair.....30c to 31c
STATE GATHERED WHITES—
Fine to fancy.....35c to 36c
Ordinary to prime.....30c to 34c
Pullets or small.....23c to 30c
STATE HENNERY BROWNS
Fancy.....33c to 34c
STATE GATHERED BROWNS AND MIXED COLORS—
Fancy.....32c to 33c
Fair to prime.....29c to 31c
Ordinary to fair.....26c to 28c

HONEY, MAPLE SUGAR AND SYRUP

HONEY—
Clover in comb, a lb.....20c to 30c
Clover, extracted, a lb...10c to 16c
Maple syrup per gal...$1.50 to $1.65

LIVE POULTRY

Heavy fowls 30c to 32c. Light fowls, 29c to 30c. Chickens, small and smooth legged 38c to 40c; Staggy chickens 24c to 26c. Roosters 18c. Colored broilers 90c to $1.05. White leghorn broilers 65c to 85c. Long Island ducks, young 40c per pound.

LIVE PIGEONS—
Supply and demand light; 90c to 95c per pair.
LIVE RABBITS—
mand, per lb.....15c to 20c

COUNTRY DRESSED CALVES

Prices are again slightly lower. Fancy, 12c to 14c pound; occasionally an extra fancy calf, selling singly will bring 15c a pound; undergrades and small, 8c to 11c; very small, under 60 pounds 4c to 7c; hindsaddles with skins, 18c to 23c; without skins, 19c to 24c.

DRESED POULTRY

Fowls, over 6 lbs.....40c lb
Fowls 4 to 6 lbs.....38c to 40c lb
Roasting chickens....45c to 52c lb
Capons.....55c to 62c lb

COUNTRY DRESSED PIGS

Receipts normal, fair demand; 16 to 30 pounds, 18c to 20c; 30 to 50 pounds 20c to 34.

LIVE STOCK

BULLS—
Choice.....5¾c to 6½c
a few at 6¾c
Heavy.....5c to 5½c
Light.....4c to 4¾c
COWS—
Fat.....5c to 5½c
Medium.....4c to 5c
Canners.....1¾c to 2¼c
CALVES—
Best.....14c to 15c
Medium.....13c to 14c
Common.....12c to 13c
Fed calves.....5c to 6c
Grassers.....4c to 5c
HOGS—
Prime.....11½c to 12¼c
Heavy.....10½c to 11½c
Pigs.....11½c to 12¼c
Roughs.....8¾c to 8¾c
Boars.....5c to 6c
Stags.....6c to 7c
LAMBS—
Prime state,.....10¼c to 11½c
(a few at 11¾c
Yearlings.....6c to 8c
Medium.....5c to 6c
Common.....4c to 5c
SHEEP—
Prime.....5c to 5½c
(a few at 6c)
Medium.....3½c to 4¾c
Common.....2½c to 3½c

APPLES—Light offerings good quality Spies, Greenings, Baldwins, H. Ben Davis; fair demand at $1.00, $1.50 @ 1.75 per bushel.

CABBAGE—Florida, new stock, mostly 8c per pound. Homegrown Danish, old stock, 1½c per pound.

LETTUCE—Light offerings hothouse leaf-lettuce sold at 85c @ 95c, mostly 85c per 5-lb basket. California Iceberg, $5.00 per case, $2.00 per splint. Boston Head sold at $4.00 @ $4.50 per case.

ONIONS — Homegrown Yellow Globes, 60c @ 75c per bushel. Onion sets, $1.45 @ $1.50 per bushel.

POTATOES — Moderate supplies; good quality round whites, old stock, sold around 80c per bushel. New potatoes, 10c per lb.

ASPARAGUS — California, large bunches; $7.45 @ $7.50 per case.

BEANS—Green, $7.25 per hamper; 25c per lb.

BEETS—50c per splint basket; new beets, 75c per dozen bunches.

CARROTS—40c per splint basket; new carrots, 50c per dozen bunches.

CAULIFLOWER—California mostly $2.75 per crate.

Celery—California $1.00 @ $1.25 per dozen; $3.25 per case.

CUCUMBERS — Pennsylvania, hot-house, $2.25 per dozen.

MUSHROOMS—$2.25 per 3-lb basket.

PARSLEY—sold at 50c per dozen bunches.

PARSNIPS—Home grown, sold at 40c @ 50c per splint basket.

PEAS—Sold at $2.25 per splint baseket of 9 to 10 lbs.

PEPPERS—20c per lb; $7.00 per case. Florida, green, sweet.

RADISHES—Long, red, 30c @ 50c per dozen bunches.

RHUBARB—California $5.50 per case; 15c per lb.

SPINACH—Texas, sold at $1.75 per bushel; $4.15 @ 4.25 per barrel.

SWEET-POTATOES — Georgias, $2.75 per case.

TOMATOES—$1.50 @ $1.75 per 5-lb basket.

TURNIPS—30c @ $1.00 per splint; old, 80c @ 85c per splint basket.

GRAPE-FRUITS — Florida, $3.50 @$5.25 per case.

LEMONS—California, $3.00 @ $4.50 per case.

ORANGES—California and Florida,$4.50 @ $5.50 per case.

STRAWBERRIES—Louisana, 25c per pt., 50c per qt. box.

BUTTER— Creamery 49c @ 50c per lb.

CHEESE —Full cream 26c @ 28c per lb.

EGGS — Strickly fresh 28c a dozen.

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OLEAN ALDERMEN VOTE AGAINST NEW TIME

Olean, April 18. —By unanimous vote Saturday night Aldermen voted against the proposed daylight saving in Olean this year. There was a considerable opposition against setting the clocks ahead by men who did business in Pennsylvania and a number of villages and towns in this section petitioned common council to keep eastern standard time. Employes of the Vacuum Oil Company refinery and other plants were in favor of the daylight saving time but the proposition did not have support in many other quarters.

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Clean-Up Week

Past experience of many of the cities and boroughs throughout the State has brought a realization of durfng the year for a general clean- beneficial results obtained by regularly designating certain periods ing up and removal from buildings and premises of all health and fire breeding menaces.

The Spring cleaning time is now here, there should be no reason or excuse why the citizens of every city, borough or rural district should get together for community betterment and at once proceed to clean up as a security against loss caused through carelessness and neglect to take precautions against possible loss by fire.

Carelessness is the principal cause for the largest part of the fire waste in this country, and as a consequence the cost to the individual paying the Fire Tax is increasing, adding to the already high cost of living expenses.

Prepare to have a clean up week. Do it early, don't delay, make a thorough cleaning up by demoval of all rubbish and inflammable material from within and about premises. Inspect clean and repair chmneys and remedy other defects in building.

Theatres private and public institutions, factories, mills and other properties should be inspected by local authorities and necessary repairs or improvements made that will reduce the possibility of fires and protect the lives and safety of occupants.

Insist upon better building regulations as fire preventive measure, and inaugurate fire drills in schools, in private and public institutions, mercantile and industrial establishments.

The co-oepration of citizens in interesting themselves in the clean Up movement will result in a reduction of fire waste and a conservation of resources.

Did you ever notice how a man instinctively reaches for his roll every time his wife comes in to his office?

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Sterlize Cabbage Seed Before Planting

Stem rot or black rot is a serious disease of cabbage. It also attacks brocoli, Brussels sprouts, cauliflower, kale, rutabaga and other turnips, radish and the new Chinese cabbages.

Infected plants are easily recognized. The leaves have a burned appearance on the edges and there is a yellowing of all parts affected, except themidrib which is black or dark colored within.

The disease works in the main stalk, causing the leaves to drop and in severe attacks heads fail to form.

Control: Spraying will not help this disease, only preventative measures can be taken.

1. Crop rotation is an important item in the control of this disease. Do not grow the cabbage or its relatives for several years on land known to have produced infected cabbages, and see that the soil in the seed bed in clean.

2. Do not use manure or compost on cabbage land that contains infected cabbage leaves as this will continue the disease.

3. Sterilize the seed before planting as the bacterium causing this disease has the power to remain alive on the seed for many months. Use the 40 per cent formaldehyde dfluted at the rate of one ounce in two gallons of water. Soak in this for fifeen minutes then dry and sow the seed.

For further information regarding cabbage insect pests and diseases write to the Bureau of Plant Industry, Pennsylvania Department

To reduce the damage from rust on hollyhock spray the foliage with Bordeaux mixture. More effective work is done by removing all diseased foliage in the fall.

INCORPORATION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, May 10, 1921, by Wm. J. Hartman, M. S. Bredbenner, R. G. Hartman, J. S. Maloy(C. P. Hood, C. A. Cole, C. L. Lucus and M. G. Hartman, under the Act of Assebmly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of Certain Corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Derbrah Silk Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture and sale of Thrown Silk and other Textiles, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

C. W. CATLIN,
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April 8, 1921. adv15w3

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YELLOW PINE CEILING that was 65.00 per M is now..40.00

BRICK that was 35.00 per M is now.....30.00

CEMENT that was 5.20 per Bbl. is now.....4.40

SHINGLES that was 10.00 per M is now.....7.00

PLASTER BOARD that was .40 per sheet is now.....32

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If we enumerated the entire list you would find substantial reductions on every item. Prices on our entire line will average 25 per cent to 30 per cent less than last year.

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License Applications

Petitions and Applications for licenses, hotels whole and retail liquor dealers, with of without other goods, and bottlers and brewers, at June Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for McKean County, Pennsylvania, to be held at Smethport, Penna., on Monday, May 9, A. D. 1921

HOTEL LICENSES

Bradford City—First Ward

Charles O. Gash, Hotel Weaver, Nos. 87 and 89 Main Street, residence No. 165 Davis Street.

Patrick Mulqueen, Mansion House, Nos. 5 and 7 Mechanic Street, residence same.

John P. Ronan, United States Hotel, Nos. 19 and 21 Mechanic Street, residence same.

Michael Ronan, Union House, Nos. 142 and 150 Main Street, residence same.

Archie L. O'Neil and Frank W. Neal, Partners as O'Neil & Neal, Ontion House, No. 41 Main Street, residence of Archie L. O'Neil No. 3 W. Neal, No. 41 Main Street.

Thos. J. Prentice, Capitol Hotel, Nos. 44 and 46 Main Street, residence same.

A. C. Stengel, Corry House, Nos. 12 and 20 Webster Street, residence same.

Bradford City—Third Ward

Eva Hamilton, City Hotel, No. 48 Mechanic Street, residence same.

Bradford City—Fifth Ward

John Wilson Rochester Hotel, Nos. 211 and 213 Main Street, residence same.

Bradford City—Sixth Ward

Frank G. Kieff, American House, No. 444 East Main Street, residence same.

Eldred Borough

Thomas J. Slavin, The Gold Eagle Hotel, Northeast corner of Railroad and Depot Streets, residence same.

Kane Borough—First Ward

John C. Burns, Kane House, Nos. 153, 155 and 157 Fraley street, residence same.

Harry S. Canfield, Lamont Hotel, Nos. 27 and 35 Fraley Street, residence same.

Richard J. Greville, Windsor Hotel, Nos. 17, 19 and 21 Fraley Street, residence same.

Kane Borough—Third Ward

John Fleming, New Thomson House, Nos. 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16 Fraley Street residence same.

Kane Borough—Fourth Ward

John Albert Eckborg, St. Elmo Hotel, Nos. 162, 164, 166 and 168 Fraley Street, residence same.

LAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP.

James Mahoney, Butts House, Mount Alton, bounded north by a public road; southeast by public road leading from Mount Alton to Buttsville and southwest by a public road leading from Mount Alton to Ridersville, residence Mount Alton.

MOUNT JEWETT BOROUGH.

E. C. Cleveland, Brewer House, on the south side of Main street, residence Mt. Jewett.

A. W. Huff, Commercial Hotel, on the south side of Main street at the corner of Gallup avenue, residence Mt. Jewett.

Tracy Smith, Campbell House, on the south side of Main street, Lot No. 30 east on Main street, residence Mt. Jewett.

SMETHPORT BOROUGH.

Joseph S. Hull, Wright House, corner Main and Mechanic streets, No. 103 E. Main street, residence same, Smethport.

LICENSE TO BOTTLE AND VEND MALT AND BREWED LIQUORS.

BRADFORD CITY—Fourth Ward.

Frank E. Bottorf, Independent Bottling Works, No. 56 Mechanic street, residence same, Bradford.

LICENSE TO BREW, MANUFACTURE, VEND AND SELL MALT AND BREWED LIQUORS AT WHOLESALE.

BRADFORD CITY—Fourth Ward.

Peter Fensel, East side of Fourth street, Nos. 16 to 26 Fourth street, residence 103 Hilton street.

All licenses must be lifted the day preceding the commencement of the term of said license or the same will be void.

J. L. MORRISON,
Clerk.

Smethport, Pa., April 19, 1921.
adv 16 3t.

1921 CLASS IN HIGH SCHOOL LARGEST IN YEARS

Thirty young ladies and gentlemen will graduate this year in the Smethport High School, a number far exceeding that of recent years.

Comencement exercises will occur June 7th. Much improvement has been shown in the classes this year. The school has a very capable staff of teachers at present, under the direction of Prof. Stanley A. Bright.

It is hoped that some time in the future Smethport may have, what she so much needs; special teachers for music and drawing. Other towns have these; why not we?

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If you haven't purchased that dressy hat for summer just drop in and let me show you some of the season's attractions. I have a very desirable line of pattern hats a style to suit every type of face and will be sure to please you.

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Highway Improvement

DEMAND FOR SAFE ROADWAYS

Some Kind of Protection Should Be Provided to Keep Cars From Skidding Off Dirt Roads.

What value do we place on a human life? To judge by some of the roads over the country it is not much. Lives are lost many times where a few dollars or a little extra time would make a road safe enough so that taking a ride along them on a rainy day in an auto would not be such a hair-raising experience as is often the case now, says a writer in Successful Farmer.

Recently a friend of mine was driving along a road within a half mile of a small town and ran into a ditch six feet deep, upsetting his car and smashing things up generally, though he escaped unhurt, and had no one with him. Many complaints had been made about that road, but nothing was done by anyone. On either side the ditch came within less than two feet of the roadway, and there was not even a ridge or anything to ward the wheels off and keep them from sliding over.

When hundreds of automobiles are owned in every part of the country and it is impossible to always keep off roads when they are slippery, it is not morally right and should not be legally right to leave them in a condition that would make an accident under ordinary conditions possible. During the last two years I have been riding around considerably and we have been in places where it was very dangerous driving, and often came upon such places with no chance at all to avoid them. In one case we crossed a bridge after a light shower, and, on the far side found that it had caved away to within six inches of the road, though that was solid. For a rod the ditch was not two feet from the road, with nothing to check a slide into it. A very steep hill began just beyond the bridge. Our car could not make the hill, and we stalled, and had to back some. The least bit of skidding would have been certain to have carried us over the bank and for several minutes it looked like we were to go down six or eight feet into a creek.

Properly Protected Road.

It is not always that such places are on unimportant roads. In fact the first place mentioned was on a main traveled road between county seats, and automobiles used it on long distance travel. In the main it was a fine road well kept, but there were two or three places that were really dangerous, though this was the worst of all.

Wherever there is a place at the side of a dirt road that has much travel, that is deep enough to upset a car that went down into it, some kind of protection should be made to keep cars from skidding off. We are not considering the quick dash to one side from careless driving or going too fast in mud, but the unavoidable skid that is bound to occur now and then. Our roads should be safe in muddy weather as far as we can make them for often at such times we have to use them with our cars.

UNITED STATES' GOOD ROADS

Work Is in Progress in Every Section to Give Country Superior Highway System.

The time is rapidly passing when the bad roads of America can be pointed out as a reproach. In every section of the country work is in progress to give the United States a system of roads which will compare favorably with those of other countries. Roads are being built at 2,985 different points. Fully 30,000 miles of road have been approved by the secretary of agriculture. It is estimated that this construction will cost the country nearly $400,000,000. At the end of June, 1920, the government reported that 2,116 different projects, or a total of 16,000 miles of roads, had been completed.—Boys' Life.

NEW CHARACTER OF TRAFFIC

Most of Existing Highways Were Not Constructed to Support Heavy Loads Now Imposed.

Most of our existing roads were not designed with a view of carrying the heavy loads now imposed upon them, and in new roads it would seem the builders cannot realize the present changed conditions and the new character of the traffic; in any case the problem is not an easy one.

CHURCH NOTES.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Prayer meeting at 8 o'clock Thursday evening; preaching service next Sunday morning at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. All pledges for the new world movement are due not later than next Sunday. They will not be counted on this year's apportionment, if they come in later than that date. We owe about $300. Pay up your small bill and it will be very easy for us to reach the total.

Young Peoples' Circle meets Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors. A debate on Woman's Rights is scheduled for that evening, a musical program will also be furnished.

Cooked Food Sale at Geary's Ice Cream Parlor at 2:30 o'clock, Saturday afternoon by the Young People's Circle.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, May1: Morning worship, 10:30; Sunday School, 11:45; Junior League, 3:00; Evening worship, 7:30. Wednesday, 8:00, prayer and praise meeting. Our School of Religious Education manned by efficient teachers. The Graded Lessons are taught in an interesting and illuminating manner. "Come and see." You are always welcome at "the Church with the Spire."

SWEDISH MISION CHURCH

The services for next Sunday are as follows:

Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; morning worship 11:00 a. m., Evening service 7:30 p. m. Rev. Emil G. Winstedt will preach at both the morning and evening service. Special singing and music will rendered.

All are cordially invited.

SMILES

IT'S DEAD ERTAIN

—That it does little good for the sun to shine if we don't make ourselves realize it's shining! And even a blind man can tell you when the sun is shining.

Victory Through Surrender.

Only in religion can paradox flourish in profusion and without logical objection. Commerce abhors contradictions, the law abominates them, but religion darlingly welcomes them. It is permissible to speak in one breath of both surrender and victory—surrender of one's lower self to the God of one's higher self, and consequent victory for the higher self over the lower. In reality, this is victory for the vanquished—triumph through surrender. And the sequel is one's entry into the peace of God.

Opportunity is quick to learn. If we get the habit of neglecting it, it soon gets the habit of neglecting us.

"Down, But Not Out"

Cobb was on third, and the game was well won.
The score was top-heavy, with inning most done.
"Step off from the base—let them tag you for 'out'!"
So Tyrus stepped off—'taws a friend raised the shout.
The ball flew to catsh him, but Ty in a trice
Was on his way homeward, jaw like a vise.
He twisted and dodged, and the bleacherites roared;
The ball was thrown wild, and Tyrus—he scored!
"But what," asked a friend, changed your mind? Tell us, Ty!"
And, eyes flashing fire, Cobb made this reply:
I said to myself, when that ball came in sight:
'If I'm to go out, 'twill be after a fight!'
So now say we all, whatever our plight:
"If I'm to go out, 'twill be after a fight!"

Just for the Week

Many an unanticipated achievement begins when we give the other man the benefit of the doubt.

NO TRESPASSING.

This notice is to inform you that no trespassing will be allowed on the premises of Walter Daly located on Daly Brook about three miles from town toward Crosby. Mr. Daly took the time to properly post his land some time ago, only to have some person or persons with evil intentions to deliberately violate the laws take the signs down and do other mischivous things on the premises. The party is known [illegible] well that *did* thi[illegible] hereby warned never to trespass said premises again. If they will immediately be prosecuted

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